

## AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend page 2 of the specification as shown below. This amendment to the specification is presented in the Revised Amendment Format as provided for in MPEP § 714 Amendments, Applicant's Action [R-1].

Amend the technical field paragraph as follows:

### 1. Technical Field

This application is a continuation-in-part of ~~pending~~allowed United States Application No. 09/906,458 filed on July 16, 2001 and issued on October 29, 2002 as U.S. Patent No. 6,472,007, which is a continuation-in-part of ~~pending~~allowed United States Application No. 09/538,540 filed on March 30, 2000 and issued on July 22, 2003 as U.S. Patent No. 6,596,328.

The present invention relates to a rigid container or canister suitable for storing food products (consumables) with a multi-functional cap. In one embodiment, the cap nests over the mouth end of the container when the container is sealed, but can also nest with the base end of the container for storage while the container is in use. A sub-container or promotional item can be placed within the cap and kept separate from the food product. Further, when inverted, the cap seats into the mouth end of the container, thereby acting as a bowl. The container consists of a molded body that can be wrapped with a thin film graphics carrier. In one embodiment of the invention, the thin film graphics carrier contributes to the barrier properties of the container. The container stands unsupported for a shelf display or can be vendable from soft drink vending machines.